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Docket No. 1600-002

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	)	Group Art Unit: 2132
Eric F. Meyers et al.	)	
	)	Examiner: Barron, Jr., Gilberto
Entitled: "PERFORMING ARTIST	)	
TRANSACTION SYSTEM AND	)	
RELATED METHOD"	)	
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Serial No.: 10/057,845	)	
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Filed: January 24, 2002	)	

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Applicant respectfully requests the issuance of a new Official Filing Receipt to correct an error in the Updated Filing Receipt mailed on September 11, 2002. The Updated Filing Receipt is in error in that co-inventor Steve E. Yarovinsky has been omitted as an applicant, as shown on the attached marked-up copy of the Receipt. Mr. Yarovinsky's Declaration and Power of Attorney form was submitted with the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application on August 20, 2002. Copies of the Response, Declaration (with Certificate of Express Mailing) and return postcard are enclosed for your convenience.

It is Applicants' understanding that there are no fees due in connection with filing this Request. If there are fees due, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 503124.

Dated: February 9, 2004

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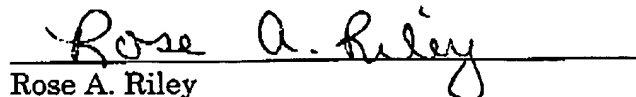


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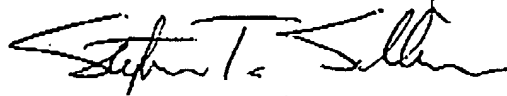
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1. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;
2. Declaration and Power of Attorney form executed by co-inventor Eric Meyers;
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney form executed by co-inventor Steve Yarovsky;
4. Substitute drawing figures (37 figures on 39 sheets) with enlarged margins as required by the Notice; and
5. Check for \$ 1,020.00 to cover the filing fee and declaration surcharge.

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Dated: August 20, 2002

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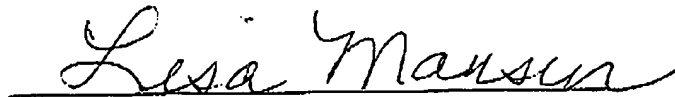
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As a below-named inventor, I hereby state and declare as follows:

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I (we) believe I am (we are) the original, first and ... sole or X joint inventor(s) of the subject matter, which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention and application entitled, "PERFORMING ARTIST TRANSACTION SYSTEM AND RELATED METHOD", the specification of which is attached hereto, or X which was filed on January 24, 2002, and assigned Application Serial No. 10/057,843, and which was amended on \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendments referred to above

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

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I hereby appoint Stephen T. Sullivan, Reg. No. 32,444, as my attorney with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and any continuation, divisional and continuing prosecution application based upon it, and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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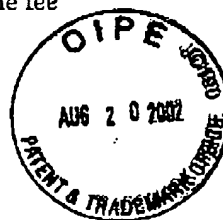
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Filed: January 24, 2002  
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1. Petition for Extension of Time with fee trans and fee;
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3. Declaration and Power of Attorney form of Eric Meyers ;
4. Declaration of Steve Yarovinsky;
5. Substitute drawing figures (37 Figs. on 39 Sheets);
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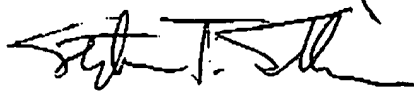
**APPOINTMENT OF ASSOCIATE POWER OF ATTORNEY**

I, Stephen T. Sullivan, the attorney of record for the captioned patent application, hereby appoint associate powers of attorney, for prosecution of the application identified above and for all transactions with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office concerning this application and any continuation, divisional, continuation-in-part and/or reissue applications based upon it, to Sarah L. Malcolm (Reg. No. 53,259) of the Sullivan Law Group.

Please amend the Patent Office records to reflect this change.

Date: January 20, 2004

Respectfully submitted,



Stephen T. Sullivan  
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